

INTERNET SAFETY FOR KIDS



The Internet can be a fun place to learn and make friends, but there are important things to remember when you are on the computer. The tips listed below will help you to stay away from "stranger danger."

DON'T give out information about yourself like your last name, your phone number, where you live, or where you go to school.

DON'T open up e-mails, files, or Web pages that you get from people you don't really know or trust.

DON'T e-mail a picture of yourself to strangers.

Ask your parents before video chatting.

DON'T ever give out your password.

DON'T let anyone use your screen name or Internet account.

NEVER make plans to meet your Internet buddies in real life.

ALWAYS let your parents know if someone is sending you bad messages or pictures.



For more information about Internet Safety, please visit www.riag.ri.gov

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